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In reply to the Rule 109 communication dated 14 November 2006, we enclose herewith replacement claims 1-20.

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